# **Tippecanoe River State Park**

#### **Nature Center Hours**

*All times are Eastern*Saturday 10:00PM – 3:00PM

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### **Interpretive Programs**

### Friday October 24th

**5:00PM Roving Naturalist.** Look for the naturalist roaming family campground with a few of her favorite things. **Guess the Condy Corn** - how many pieces of candy are in the jar? The closest to the right number wins the container and treats. (The prize will be awarded on Saturday at 6:00 PM at the Costume Contest). *Location: Family Campground*.

**6:00PM Live Animals- Wild about Wildlife!!**— With Kim Hoover, a wildlife rehabilator will be discussing several native animal species and will have wildlife animals with her!! Bring your camp chair and enjoy the program. Please do not bring your pets to the program.

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7:00-9:00 PM AMAZENG MAZE Join John Gilbert, family and friends on campsite 3 as they once again have constructed the AMAZING MAZE! Get ready to crawl through and hope you make it out! No lights allowed!! Location: Site 3 in the family campground.



**7:30 PM Lighting of the Pumpkins!!** The Friends of the Tippecanoe River State Park and member Chris Smith invite you to witness the lighting of the carved pumpkins! Find out more about our Friend's Group. *Location: Site 60 in the family campground*.

**8:00 PM Glow in the Dark Hunt!!** Find as many glow in treasures you can find. Use your flash light to find your way to the playground at Horse Camp. The naturalist will meet you there with directions. It will be lights out for a few minutes while we do the Glow in the Dark search. *Location: Horse Camp playground*.

**8:00PM Roving Naturalist.** Look for the naturalist roaming horse campground with a few of her favorite things. **Guess the Condy Corn** - how many pieces of candy are in the jar? The closest to the right number wins the container and treats. (The prize will be awarded on Saturday at 6:00 PM at the Costume Contest). *Location: Horse Campground*.

## Saturday October 25<sup>th</sup>



10:00AM – 1:00 PM Choose and Design Your Pumpkin!! Join in the fun by donating \$5 and picking your pumpkin to paint, carve, or other choices. The supplies and tools will be available for the activity. Adult supervision suggested for kids under sixteen.

Location: Nature Center.

**2:00PM Fall Nature Center Race!!** Pick your Team and meet the Naturalist at 1PM sharp to receive a new list. All Items on the list can be found around the Nature Center Area (you will not need a vehicle). Prizes will be given out. Adult supervision suggested for kids under twelve. *Location: Nature Center*.



**4:00PM Smokey Bear visiting the campgrounds!!** Smokey Bear will be out to visit at the campgrounds. Be sure to meet Smokey with your camera in hand! Bring your friends and family. *Location: Horse and Family Campgrounds*.



**6:00pm Halloween Costume Contest**. All ages are encouraged to participate! Including your pets! Wear your costume and arrive at the Nature Center at 5:45PM. Directions will be given on site. Trick or Treating will start following this event.

Location: Nature Center.

**6:30 – 9:00 pm Lighted Pumpkins!!** If you are on the way back to the campground on foot stop by camp site 60 can check out the lighted carved pumpkins. And say hi to Chris Smith and other Friends of the Tippecanoe River State Park members. *Location: Site 60 in the family campground*.



**6:30PM-8:30PM Trick or Treat!!!** Join us for Trick or Treat in the Family Campground!! All extra vehicles must park in designated areas. (Parking available at the Nature Center). (All gate fees apply). <u>Location: Family Campground.</u>



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